

**DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
JOB OPENING**

Opening Date: August 16, 2017

Closing Date August 23, 2017

DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

Civil Division, Deputy Attorney General, New Castle County

The Delaware Department of Justice seeks a Deputy Attorney General for the Civil Division in the Defensive Litigation Unit in New Castle County. This Deputy Attorney General will defend the State, its agencies, officials and employees in civil litigation in wide variety of matters, including employment and civil rights actions. The focus of duties will be on civil rights/constitutional law, employment law, and actions filed pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §1983 and defended in accordance with 42 U.S.C. §1997e, the Prisoner Litigation Reform Act (PLRA). Cases are handled in both state and federal court.

Membership in Delaware Bar is required; this Deputy Attorney General must be admitted to the District of Delaware, the Third Circuit Court of Appeals, or eligible for admission to those courts.

The selected candidate should have good writing skills, excellent judgment and be comfortable handling a large caseload independently without extensive supervision.

Internal Delaware Department of Justice Applicants: Please submit an updated Resume or summary of work experience to the Director of Human Resources.

External Applicants: In order to be considered for this position, external applicants must submit Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application (please see link): <http://attorneygeneral.delaware.gov/executive/hr/job-application/>

OR external applicants can mail Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application to: Delaware Department of Justice, Human Resources, 820 N. French Street, 6th Floor, Wilmington, DE 19801, OR E-mail to: DOJHR@state.de.us OR Fax to: 302-577-5866. EOE.